

PRIZES FOR MASQUERADE BALL ARE SECURED

EAGLES HAVE GRAND ASSORTMENT TO GIVE AWAY ON FEBRUARY 22.

Great preparations are under way for the grand masquerade ball to be given on the evening of Washington's birthday at the Miners' Exchange hall by the Tonopah aerie of Eagles. The different committees have been hustling for weeks and yesterday the prize committee met and arranged the list of offerings which are worth competing for.

The following is the list of prizes:

Best dressed lady—Handsome handbag, from Prouty's drug store.
Best sustained character, lady—\$6.50 box of candy, Miners' drug store.

Most original character, lady—\$7 memorandum book, Tonopah Bonanza.

Second prize, best sustained lady character—Pair kid gloves, McKim's.

Second prize, most original lady character—Bottle perfume, Piercy's drug store.

Most comical lady character—Toilet set, Tonopah drug store.

Best dressed gentleman—Watch fob, Tonopah Jewelry company.

Best sustained gentleman—Stetson hat, Ryan and Stenson.

Most original gentleman—Pair Barry shoes, Morrow and Hussy.

Second prize, best sustained gentleman—White vest, The Toggery.

Second prize, most original gentleman—Pair silk galluses, Sullivan and company.

Most comical gentleman—One year's subscription, Tonopah Sun.

Best group of three ladies—Three large cakes, Nevada, Vienna and City bakeries.

Best group three gentlemen—Three bottles champagne, Nevada Club and Kelly Brothers.

Best group of four—Four bottles sherry, Palace hotel and Casino bar.

Second most comical gentleman—Box cigars, Tonopah Club.

Second best dressed gentleman—Box cigars, Oasis saloon.

Best dressed couple—Oyster supper, Montana cafe.

Most original couple—Oyster supper, Poodle Dog.

Prettiest woman and homeliest man will receive a Premium ham, from Cuddy and stock and Tonopah and Goldfield meat market.

Homeliest woman—Sack of very best flour, Southern Nevada Mercantile company.

Handsome man—Bottle Old Crow, Alamo saloon.

Biggest knocker in Tonopah—A hammer, E. Wheece and Son.

Most popular man—Box cigars, Mizpah bar.

Second prize, most popular man—Box cigars, The Office.

AUTO DRIVER MUST PAY FOR HIS RECKLESSNESS

CASE OF KAYLOR VS. JEFFRIES RESULTS IN JUDGMENT FOR DEFENDANT.

Judge M. R. Averill, in the district court yesterday handed down a decision and opinion in the case of B. A. Kaylor versus James J. Jeffries and H. T. Kutzkau. Jeffries asked for the sum of \$693.50 from each of the co-defendants as recompense due him for expenses after being incapacitated from work for over a month, by being injured when he was knocked down by an automobile last summer and the hearing of the case took place last month in the local court.

The court in the decision stated that there was nothing to connect Kutzkau with being responsible for the accident, but that the facts concerning Jeffries were true and judgment was awarded the defendant for \$693.50 and costs, the sum asked for in the complaint.

Jeffries is at the present time in Utah where he is engaged in the automobile business.

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"The Old Maid and the Burglar" at the Butler today.

O'CONNELL IS BOUND OVER TO GRAND JURY

OLD TIME OFFENDER WILL FACE CHARGE OF GRAND LARCENY.

W. B. O'Connell was found guilty yesterday in the justice court of grand larceny and bound over to appear before the grand jury with his bonds fixed at \$1,500. Last Friday O'Connell entered the room of Sheriff J. J. Owens and stole fifty-three valuable specimens valued at \$600. O'Connell gained entry to the sheriff's apartments by stating to Mrs. W. C. Humphreys that he had been sent by the county official to secure the specimens. After procuring the highgrade he distributed choice specimens among his friends. Hardly half the collection has been recovered but it is thought that a number of additional pieces of rock will come to light within the next few days.

The collection contained some of the richest specimens gathered by the sheriff during the last nine years. Every camp in the county was represented and a few pieces came from outside states. O'Connell, in default of bond was ordered into the custody of the sheriff and was taken back to his old quarters in the county jail where he will remain until the grand jury meets. On all previous occasions, and there have been a great many, O'Connell when caught in the toils of the law, was either charged with petty larceny or drunkenness, the latter usually being the charge. Since September he has spent most of his time in the jail, and from appearances he will be working for the county and state for the next year or so. He admitted stealing the specimens and gave as an excuse that he was drunk at the time.

LOS ANGELES BREWING COMPANY ENTERS TONOPAH

WILL LET CONTRACT FOR COLD STORAGE PLANT THIS MORNING.

A cold storage plant will be erected in the near future in the H. J. Hall liquor company building on Lower Main street by the Los Angeles Brewing company, of which Mr. Hall has been appointed the local agent.

John R. Hagan, representing the Los Angeles concern, is in town and announced last evening that he would receive bids today and would immediately let the contract for the construction of the plant, which is estimated to cost approximately \$3,000. It is planned to have everything in working order by March 20 so that ample time will be had for the preparation for the summer trade.

The brew of the Los Angeles Brewing company is something new to the beer drinkers of Tonopah but residents of the southern camp such as Goldfield, Rhyolite and other places, state that it is the "beer of perfection." This statement is also made by Mr. Hall, who on a recent visit to Los Angeles spent a couple of days in sampling the wares of the brewery and as a result ordered a carload of the beer. This shipment arrived yesterday and this morning an order for a second carload will be sent out.

The Los Angeles Brewing company is one of the largest concerns in southern California and has a splendidly equipped plant. It has a capacity of 200,000 barrels daily which is shipped to the coast and southern states. Both a Bohemian and dark brew of beer is turned out, but the quality demanded is usually the Bohemian brew, which will be handled at the cold storage plant. As soon as the contract is awarded Mr. Hagan will telegraph for the necessary machinery and have everything on the ground so as to aid in having the plant completed by schedule time.

Jules Willard, representing the Willard Brothers, importers and manufacturers of cigars, arrived yesterday from the coast and spent the day calling on the trade. He leaves this morning for Manhattan and Round Mountain.

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DICK DUNLAP RESIGNS FROM THE MONTANA

SEVERES HIS CONNECTION WITH LOCAL COMPANY YESTERDAY.

R. P. Dunlap, vice president and director of the Tonopah Montana Mining company yesterday tendered his resignation at the regular monthly meeting held at the company's office. Mr. Dunlap has been with the company since its inception and has served since that time either as an officer or director and has always worked for the interests of the concern. His resignation came as a surprise but it was accepted by the board.

When questioned last evening why he had taken this action, Mr. Dunlap stated: "Oh, it is the result of a disagreement over recompense for services. For five years I have worked for the interests of Montana Tonopah without a cent's remuneration, because the company was not in a condition to pay for it. Now that it is out of debt, with a goodly surplus on hand, I asked for proper compensation. The amount voted by the board as representing their estimate of the value of my services was so infinitesimal that I could not give my consent to work for it and retain my self-respect, and therefore I resigned. However, permit me to say that any man who is so foolish as to work for other people for nothing deserves what he gets, for it is never appreciated."

Questioned as to his future movements, Mr. Dunlap stated that he had as yet formed no plans.

BART KNIGHT UNDER ARREST AT GOLDFIELD

ELINOR GLYN'S HERO CHARGED WITH CRIME OF HIGH GRADING.

The arrest of four men at Goldfield Monday on the charge of high-grading from the Consolidated mill, proved a sensation in the southern camp. The arrests were made by Clarence Sage, chief detective for the Consolidated company, and who took into custody Bart Knight, a constable of Goldfield; Jake Hilderbrandt, of the Turf saloon; M. J. Smith, an assayer and John O. Miller, an employee in the Consolidated mill.

That the men had a frame-up to systematically rob the mill of amalgam, was the statement of Sage, who declared he had ample evidence to secure convictions. Miller and Hilderbrandt secured bonds Monday night, the same having been placed at \$12,000. Bart Knight, was supposed to be ill in bed, suffering from rheumatism and an officer was set to watch him. Yesterday the officials became convinced that he was faking the illness and placed him in a hack so that he could start and hunt bondsmen. The search lasted for six hours late last evening he was allowed his temporary freedom.

Owing to the prominence of all the parties concerned the case will be watched with an unusual amount of interest. A strong feature in the prosecution is the fact that the bunch are alleged to have "high-graded" a quantity of amalgam from the plates which was sold and marked bills received in exchange. The officials have gathered up these bills from the different places where they were spent.

ELKS INITIATE SIX NEW MEMBERS

After a couple of weeks rest, the Elks goat was let loose last night and with several hours' hard work succeeded in initiating R. B. Govan, Charles J. Enquist, Ross W. Congdon, H. C. Robinson and Al B. Brimmer into the mysteries of Elkdom. That the goat had its hands full was evinced by the appearance of the animal after the meeting adjourned. The dilapidated appearance of the candidates showed that each and every one had not been overlooked. In conferring the work upon Bob Govan Esquire Ed Malley was assisted last evening by Chris Malatsta.

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